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A Sprinkling of SPRING GOODS

have begun to arrive. Too early for you? Well maybe, but we just wanted to let you know we were ready with them whenever you are ready for them.

Here's a list of the new things received this week:

Young Bros' new spring Derby in black and brown. It's a sure winner	\$3.00	Men's long drawn out coin toe, deep wine color in fine Vici Kid stock, new spring shoes	\$4.00
Young Bros' spring shape Alpine Hat in black and brown	\$3.00	Ladies fine Ox Blood Coin toe and Stillet toe lace and button shoes	\$3.00
Manhattan's latest things in fancy bosom shirts	\$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00	Childrens and Misses new toe in dark chocolates and wine vici kid shoes.	
"High Art" Clothing, (an advance shipment of early spring novelties.)		Boys Nobby large plaid Spring Suits, Knee Pants.	

These pretty new things coming in, do not affect the cuts we are making on all winter goods.

J. H. ANDERSON & CO.

..New Spring Goods..

• Just Received. •

DERBY HATS,

SOFT HATS,

NOBBY NECKWEAR.

CALL AND SEE THEM.

PETREE & CO.,

Sign of the Big Boot.

Take a Tumble

To the fact that there is one place in town where you can save more money in one year than you will know how to invest.

DO YOU KNOW

That hard cash will buy anything very cheap.

HARNESS & SADDLERY

Are no exceptions and we are buying this way and are

GIVING THIS MARGIN TO YOU.

We always keep the best that can be bought and we are sure to please.

F. A. YOST & CO.

No. 7, South Main St., opposite Winfree Bros.

THE SUNNY SOUTH.

EDITORIAL CORRESPONDENCE FROM THE LONE STAR STATE.

Balmy Sunshine in Southern Texas.—The City of Galveston showing the sights to visiting tourists. Overlooking Matias.

Galveston, Texas, Feb. 17.—One day of the National Editorial Association has passed and the program prepared for this city lasts until Friday night. At that time the party will divide, about half of the members leaving on a two weeks' trip to the City of Mexico, 1500 miles from here and the others returning to their homes.

When the St. Louis party arrived in Galveston they found other parties already here and the total attendance now foots up about 400 men and 150 ladies.

The usual amount of speech making was indulged in yesterday morning, the Association was organized and at night a second session was held for business.

Galveston is a well-built and flourishing city of about 40,000 inhabitants. Its great drawback seems to be the lack of good hotels. The two principal hotels, the Beach and Tremont, have proven entirely unable to take care of the 800 people who came down upon them Monday night. Most of the crowd went out to the Beach, on the bay, a mile from the center of the city. This big hotel is under the same management as the Tremont and is opened only during the summer months. It was opened earlier this year, especially to take care of this crowd, but everything was confusion and many of the rooms were not ready for the reception of guests. A great many who sought to avoid the rush at the Beach went to the Tremont, only to be met with the bold bluff that the house was entirely full. Some went to the Beach and lost themselves in the crowd, others started out to hunt boarding houses without guide or direction and some registered for supper, or dinner as they prefer call it, and determined to take their chances over the protest of the clerk that there was no room. The small party of seven, of which this writer is a factor, were, by refusing to leave after supper, finally wedged into small disordered rooms on the first floor—from the top. Yesterday by watching for advantage to be gained we were able to move down one story and get better rooms and the clerk promises us still better accommodations today. I must add, however, that our party has been considered especially fortunate and some of our traveling companies have accused us of being born to luck.

With this statement of the lack of room, which is perhaps after all not their fault, my criticism of the hotels must cease. It can be said to their credit that they feed well and this has been a redeeming feature in all the confusion that followed our arrival here in the deluge of mud that succeeded a hard rain Monday night. Yesterday was a bright, springlike day and to-day the pretty weather still continues.

Two notable events occurred yesterday. In the morning the city authorities corralled and shipped out of the city a car load of tramps and at night the street cars were all stopped by a general strike, and to-day not a car is running in the city. These happenings have furnished the theme for a new lot of jokes and the editors are having a good deal of fun out of them.

In spite of the fears expressed for the safety of their friends by the fun-makers, one of the editors were sent out with the shipment of Weary Willie, although two intruders who got aboard at St. Louis were put off the special train before it reached this city.

As I am up this morning writing before breakfast, I have not investigated the cause of the strike. Perhaps the electric street car employees are merely demanding extra pay for hauling distinguished people. As a delicate compliment to the men of brains "in their midst."

Yesterday's meeting was held in Harmony Hall, a room well adapted for such meetings, and after President Thomas had called the association to order, Rev. Dr. Harris, a Baptist minister, prayed, and Mayor W. Fly delivered a cordial address of welcome. Then President F. B. Bailey, of Cleburne, president of the Texas Press Association, added a welcome in an address that was eloquent, appropriate and well received. The President deferred his formal address until to-day, the address of welcome being responded to by Ex-President Herbert.

Last night some of the delegates made up parties to visit points of interest, attend the concert at one of the theaters, or indulge in moonlight strolls on the bay.

The business session was poorly attended and did not last long. The social feature of to-day's program will be a cyster roast at 3 p.

m. and a reception at night at a fashionable club garden.

The Western Union Telegraph company is "settling them up" and today the boys are indulging in the almost unheard of luxury of free telegrams to their homes.

Rosser, Craddock and Breeding will go on to Mexico, but my present intention is to start home Friday night and get back Monday.

C. M. M.

Held as a Suspect.

A man giving the name of Chas. Conners was arrested by Chief Fritz Sunday, as a suspect. Conners was near the L. & N. depot when the Chief went after him and seeing the officer advancing he ran and was not overtaken until Wood's will was cast in the November election.

He was looked up.

Went With in Davies.

Owensboro, Ky, Feb. 20.—Official returns in all the precincts in this county show: wets, 3,569; drys, 2,782; majority, 877. Four hundred and sixty of this majority was given in the city of Owensboro. Six thousand votes were cast, which is 2,200 less than were cast in the November election.

The National Editorial Association, Galveston, Tex., Feb. 20.—The National Editorial Association adjourned yesterday. Louis Holtman, of Indiana, was elected President and Denver selected as the next place of meeting. About 300 delegates left last night for Mexico, and the others returned to their homes.

At There, Benjamin.

Indianapolis, Feb. 21.—At 5:30 o'clock this morning a baby girl weighing 8½ pounds was born to Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Harrison. Dr. Henry James was the attending physician. Mother and child are doing well. Mrs. Leont Parker, of New York, is with her sister, Mrs. Harrison. Mr. and Mrs. Harrison were married in St. Thomas, church, New York, April 6, 1896. The ex-President is in his sixty-fourth year.

Two Suits Settled.

Two big suits against the L. & N. Railroad were compromised at Madisonville last week. In the case of the administrator of Miss Fannie Morton, who was run over by a passenger train and killed at Morton's Gap about a year ago, the matter was compromised for \$175. The road was sued for \$25,000 damages for this accident. The other case was that of a boy named Moore, who, while swinging on one of the company's freight trains at Morton's Gap fell and was seriously injured. In this case the railroad company was also sued for \$25,000 damages, but plaintiff settled at \$175.

Will You Go to Washington.

As the date of the inauguration approaches the question of "which route is the best to reach Washington" is the subject of discussion with many. That popular trunk line, the C. & O. is one of the best equipped roads running trains into the capital and its service cannot be surpassed, while its time is the shortest between the East and West. The scenery along the C. & O. is one continuous plane of beauty and the eye of the traveler finds rest from the usual strain on the nerves of the tourist. Parties from this section desiring to travel over this elegant line can catch the F. E. V. train either out of Louisville or Cincinnati. Two fast trains over this route leave the cities daily for Washington and the entire trip made without change of cars. The usual low rate on such occasions will be given and any further information wanted will be cheerfully furnished by the agents of the road on application.

Prof. Louis Favour.

Prof. Louis Favour will give his illustrated lecture on "Electricity" at the Tabernacle March 1, under auspices of the Library Association. The elaborate and costly display of electrical apparatus, machinery and working models that he uses was designed by him and extra pay for hauling distinguished people. As a delicate compliment to the men of brains "in their midst."

Of the entertainment given a few nights ago in Springfield, Ohio, W. C. F. Favour, General Secretary Y. M. C. A. of that place says: "Prof. Louis Favour gave his lecture on 'Electricity' here last evening to a large audience, composed of the representative people of the city from the school boy up to the student and those interested in electricity and all were pleased, entertained and instructed. The lecture is popular and educational. The numerous experiments were well adapted to illustrate the subject and were all successfully performed. The witty witticisms of the professor added much to the enjoyment of the evening."

CREAM OF NEWS.

IF IT IS NEW AND TRUE THIS COLUMN HAS IT.

Strakeman Hurt.—Mr. Morgan Recovering.—Broke an Arm.—Went With in Davies.—Dropped Dead.—Court News.

Wants To Be County Attorney.
Mr. A. D. Moore, formerly of this county, has announced himself as a candidate for the office of County Attorney of Caldwell county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in April.

Three Years for Forgery.
Henry Cherry was convicted of forgery in Clarksville and sentenced to three years in the penitentiary. Cherry forged the name of Mr. Charles Barker, of Kennedy, this county, to a check.

Escaped Prisoner Caught.
Sam George, col., one of the three men who broke jail at Princeton last Tuesday night, was captured at Edenville Thursday by Marshal Wilson, of Princeton. The negro, it seems, had sent back home for money and his confidant reported on him.

Mr. Morgan Getting Well.
Era, Ky, Feb. 22.—Hon. J. W. Morgan, representative from Christian county, who has been critically ill with pneumonia for three weeks, is now believed to be out of danger, though still in bed.

Colored Man Drops Dead.

Trenton, Ky, Feb. 18.—John Peter son, an old colored man, suddenly fell dead here yesterday. He had called at the cabin of another negro, and as he entered the door, fell to the floor and expired instantly. Heart disease caused his death.

Fined for Selling Butters.

Trenton, Ky, Feb. 20.—E. J. Cathcart was tried here for selling Cathcart's Stomach Bitters and the jury found him \$100. Later the matter was compromised by the payment of \$50 by defendant, coupled with a promise to leave the place.

Broke an Arm.

Mr. J. P. Nuckols, a Church Hill farmer, was thrown from his horse last Thursday afternoon and one of his arms was broken at the wrist. He was in the act of opening a gate when the horse jumped back and the saddle threw, throwing Mr. Nuckols violently to the ground. It was at first thought that he seriously hurt, but he soon rallied. Dr. Stoen, of Herndon, set the broken limb.

Shot His Hat Off.

About 4 o'clock Saturday morning Mr. L. W. Olvey, who lives on Campbell street, was awakened by a noise near his hen house. He went out on the back porch, pistol in hand, and saw a man run from the direction of the poultry house. Mr. Olvey fired at him and the shot was returned by the would-be thief. A sack and the man's hat were taken. The latter had a hole in it made by the bullet from Olvey's gun.

A Brakeman Hurt.

Guthrie, Ky, Feb. 22.—An L. & N. brakeman named Jago, whose home is in Nashville, was badly hurt here last night while coupling cars. His arm was caught between the bumpers and horribly crushed, sawing the flesh off. It is not thought that the bones were broken but the injury is one that may result fatally or necessitate amputation. Jago was taken to his home in Nashville.

Spring Term of Circuit Court.

The February term of Circuit court began yesterday with Judge Breathitt on the bench. There are 150 new cases or appearances on the docket and a large number of old cases. The only business done yesterday was compelling and instructing the grand jury. The jury is as follows: H. E. Clark, foreman; Clint H. Cuyce, M. D. Davis, W. W. West, Jas. Willis, Alex. Glendon, S. H. Harrison, A. A. Grace, F. D. West, Ben F. Johnson, W. J. Wallington and John Buckner, col. The term is for six weeks and a number of very important cases will come up for trial.

Behind the Bars.

Jas. Morris, a former clerk at Lacy & Lacy's saloon, was taken into custody at an early hour Saturday morning on a charge of robbery. For some time the Lacy brothers had been missing sums of money from their cash drawer nearly every morning. Morris was suspected and on Friday night, when the saloon was closed, Mr. C. P. Nolen was employed to watch the premises. He and one of the front window and saw the developments. Just before 3 o'clock Morris entered the house from the front door and was held up by Mr. Nolen, who took him in the charge. The prisoner was taken to jail in default of a \$500 bond, where he will remain until a trial can be had.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

PHILIPS—We are authorized to announce Judge John Philips as a candidate for Circuit Judge of the Third judicial district, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Circuit convention April 3. Court conventions April 3. District convention at Murray April 3.

CROFTON—We are authorized to announce Judge Thomas J. Crofton as a candidate for Circuit Judge of the Third judicial district, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Circuit convention April 3. Court conventions April 3. District convention at Murray April 3.

HANBERRY—We are authorized to announce Judge J. T. Hanberry as a candidate for Circuit Judge of the Third judicial district, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Circuit convention April 3. Court conventions April 3. District convention at Murray April 3.

Judge Helm has ordered guards placed over Jackson and Walling day and night.

Postmaster General Wilson has accepted the presidency of the Washington and Lee University.

Gov. Bushnell has settled all controversy over the Senatorial election in Ohio by announcing that he will appoint Huns to succeed Sherman.

Gary, of Maryland, and McCook, of New York, are the latest and straightest tips for the two recent places in the coming cabinet.

The inauguration, in some respects, will be a non-partisan affair. Many Democrats will go to Washington on that occasion to see Grover Cleveland step down and out.

Colorado has passed an anti high hat bill, imposing a heavy fine upon the wearer of a high hat in places of public amusement, and strange to say three of the female members of the Legislature voted for the bill.

The Tennessee centennial, which will open May 1, promises to be the most important exposition that has ever been given in the South. There is a stock subscription of \$534,000. Congress has appropriated \$103,000 and the Tennessee legislature \$50,000 in aid of it and its success is assured.

A resolution has been introduced in the Missouri Legislature, instructing the Speaker to appoint a committee of five to visit the big prize-fight in Nevada and report whether or not it is really brutal, with the view of adopting a glove contest law in that State.

Experiments with rural free mail delivery now that while the delivery is a good thing it would be an expensive one. The cost of such a system, extended to the entire country, would be not less than \$10,000,000 annually. The plan was tried at forty-four post offices and the result of the test will be laid before Congress at once.

Ten days before Grover Cleveland will pass out of public notice unwept, unhooned and unused. History will remember him as a pious and pompous mug-wamp of sporting proclivities and doubtful integrity, who entered the Presidential office a poor man, betrayed his party, hobnobbed with golf gamblers and retired a millionaire. May we never see his like again. Evon McKinley will be a welcome change.

Prince George, of Greece, who has forcibly wrested the island of Crete, from Turkey, has more of the attributes of royalty than any monarch on the throne of Europe. He is a magnificent specimen of physical manhood, is brave and fearless in his bearing and when there is fighting to do leads his own army. The Powers will doubtless look on approvingly while the modern Grecian hero despoils the Sultan of one of his richest islands, almost without firing a shot.

The House on Friday ousted Congressman Kendall, of the 10th Kentucky district, from his seat, and by a party vote seated Parson Hopkins, his Republican opponent, who was defeated at the polls. As Kendall has drawn the salary while serving for the past two years, this simply means a steal from the Government of \$10,000 for Hopkins, who has only two weeks to pose as a Congressman. On March 4 he gives place to another Democrat elected last fall.

The Republicans held their primary meetings Saturday and elected delegates to a county convention yesterday. Under the call the candidates receiving a majority of the vote of any precinct were to be given the full McKinley vote of that precinct, the total McKinley vote of the county, 4525, being the basis and 2248 votes being necessary to nominate. In only one race was there any semblance of a real contest. Folkender and John Feland, Jr., ran so close together for county judge that it was uncertain who had won until all of the precincts were in. Feland swept the four big city precincts as well as Concord and Albany and went to the county with 1377 votes to his credit. He also carried Howell Casky, Dogwood and East Crofton, but Hunter got nearly all of the country precincts and secured the nomination. The convention met at 10:30 yesterday. The contest was so close that a change of four votes in East Crofton would have changed the result and it is probable that there will be a contest before the committee before the result is finally determined.

Circuit Clerk J. M. Sterling (County Clerk), J. P. Crofton County Attorney O. B. Anderson; Surveyor David Anderson; Coroner Jas. Allenworth, col., were all re-nominated without opposition.

For Sheriff, J. J. Barnes won an easy victory over J. B. Everett.

For Assessor, J. A. Boyd, J. S. Faubrey and T. B. Walker were candidates. Boyd secured the nomination by a decisive majority.

There were seven candidates for jailer, viz: W. T. Williamson, J. J. Allen, J. F. Turner, J. M. Alder, J. B. Anderson, J. E. Chiborne, and H. Wicks. Williamson, the present jailer, ran far in the lead, and Anderson his nearest opponent.

For representative, Dr. A. Sargent swept the city and most of the county. His opponents were J. W. Morgan, present representative, and J. M. West, of Crofton.

For Superintendent of Schools, Miss Katie McDaniel majority over Wm. Robinson was overwhelming. In the Fruit Hill municipal district H. C. Hensley, of Baker's Mill was nominated for magistrate and J. L. Wilson, of the same precinct, for constable. Here were two other candidates for magistrate—E. L. Davis and J. T. West—and one other candidate for constable—Dick Miles.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss.
Lucius C. Cheney, clerk of the court, do hereby certify that Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & CO., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State of said Ohio, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1896.

A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold at Druggists 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

William J. Brown will speak in Nashville on the 10th of March, for the Woman's Centennial Board. He will also deliver an address before the State Legislature.

Sam Small To Fight.
Rev. Sam Small will lecture at the Court House to-night on "Bimetallism, or the Second Battle for Freedom." His address is one that no liberty loving citizen should fail to hear. Everybody invited. Mr. Small will also speak at Pembroke to-morrow night.

Twenty Years....

For more than twenty years we have been telling how Scott's Emulsion overcomes the excessive waste of the system, puts on flesh, nourishes and builds up the body, making it the remedy for all wasting diseases of adults and children, but it isn't possible for us to tell the story in a mere stickful of newspaper type.

We have had prepared for us by a physician a little book, telling in easy words how and why Scott's Emulsion benefits, and a postal card request will be enough to have it sent to you free. To-day would be a good time to send for it.

SCOTT & BOWNE, New York.

Nervous

People often wonder why their nerves are so weak; why they get tired so easily; why they start at every slight sound; why they do not sleep naturally; why they have frequent headaches, indigestion and nervous

Dyspepsia

The explanation is simple. It is found that the impure blood which is continually feeding the nerves upon refuse instead of the elements of strength and vigor. In such condition opiate and nerve compounds simply deaden and do not cure. Hood's Sarsaparilla feeds the nerves pure, rich, red blood, gives natural sleep, perfect digestion, is the true remedy for all nervous troubles.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

It is the True Blood Purifier. 50¢ per bottle. Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. Hood's Pills take easily and operate gently.

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FINE EDIBLES.

of every kind We have beyond doubt the

Finest and Largest Stock in the city. Our prices are the lowest.

20 lb granulated sugar.....\$1 00
Arabica's coffee.....20c
Grain pepper.....10c
Mince meat, best.....10c
5 bu. barrel salt.....90c
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Turkeys, Geese, Chickens, Game
of all kinds. Oysters, Celery,
Caulerbrasses, Cabbage, Potatoes,
etc.

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The only first-class market house in the city.

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NO GREATER MIND READING

FEAT

Ever performed thus Winton's.

Supporting Winton is a Select Company of

VAUDEVILLE STARS.

M. L. COLEMAN.

Miss Alice Raymond.

Miss Lulu Walters.

Mr. David DeWolf.

To Agents of Authorized Companies.

Information has been received at this office that insurance companies not authorized to transact business in this State are soliciting by circular letter and otherwise, and actually writing policies of insurance on property located in this State.

The a tuition of all agents of companies authorized to do business in this Commonwealth is hereby directed to Sec. 633, Kentucky Statutes, which provides a penalty for acting as agent, soliciting for, or placing insurance in unauthorized companies, and Sec. 685, which provides a way in which surplus lines may be placed.

Agents are requested to notify this Department by telegraph when any loss occurs in which unauthorized companies are interested in order that any person or persons attempting to act for the company in the adjustment of a loss may be apprehended and punished for violation of the law.

Property owners who go outside the State to place their insurance in companies that have not complied with the provisions of the State law, must also go outside the State to have their losses adjusted, as it is unlawful for any person to act as an adjuster for a company not licensed by this department. D. N. COMPTON, Insurance Commissioner.

A decision in the bank tax case is expected very soon.

HOW TO FIND OUT.

Fill a bottle or common glass with urine and let it stand twenty-four hours; any sediment or scum indicates a diseased condition of the kidneys. When urine thus lies it is a positive evidence of kidney trouble. Two frequent desire to urinate or pain in the back, is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

WHAT TO DO

There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp Root, the great kidney remedy, fulfills every wish in relieving pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passages. It cures inability to hold urine and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to get up many times during the night to urinate. The mild and extraordinary effects of Swamp Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists, price fifty cents and one dollar. For a sample bottle and pamphlet, both sent free by mail, mention the HOPKINSVILLE KENTUCKIAN. Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The proprietors of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

SPECIAL LOCALS

Notice.

I have medley settlement, an assignee of Fox Bros., with the Christian County Court, and I hereby notify all who may be in any way concerned in said estate, that I have entered my motion, in said court, to be discharged from said trust, and to be released from all liability on account thereof, which motion will be accepted on by the court at its spring term, 1897. This, the 3rd day of February, 1897.

F. M. CHARLES,

Assignee of Fox Bros.

It's a doctor's business to study health. Doctors confidently recommend HARPER Whiskey.

For sale by W. R. LONG,

HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

\$50,000,000 Life Insurance in the Home Forum Benefit Order.

For Sale.

I have 30 head of good horses and mules to be sold at rock bottom price. Call and see them at C. H. Layne's stable.

WANTED—District managers

for the Home Forum Benefit Order. Big pay. City and country. Address Morehead House, Bowling Green, Kentucky.

Dissolution Notice.

By mutual consent, the firm of Major & Clerly, have this day dissolved. Geo. F. Major retiring, and Thos. F. Clerly assuming all indebtedness and collection of all outstanding debts due said firm.

Thos. F. CLARKE

Bell, Ky., Feb. 20th, 1897.

Join the Home Forum Benefit

Order, the Cheapest in the world.

Wanted.

To buy, rent or trade for good second hand or new one-horse spring wagon, with harness. No top. Send price and description to box 77,

Cheeky, Ky.

A Plain Question...

...Do You Want....

To Keep Warm?

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\$5.00
7.50
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Wool Suits.

The Best on the Market.

We have Twenty Overcoats that are Worth \$10 to \$12 50 To Close this little lot of odds and ends we have put the price down to

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New Stock, Best Goods, and LOWEST PRICES.

New and Elegant Funeral Car for the Undertaking Department. Dick Everett, a Practical Undertaker of 20 years experience, has charge of this branch of our business.

Give us a call. No. 8 Main Street, HOPKINSVILLE, KY.

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OF

Our Clearance Sale.

SO IF YOU WANT TO BUY

Dry Goods, Notions, Carpets and Rugs at Less Than Cost,

BE SURE TO VISIT OUR STORE THIS WEEK

REMEMBER

We will give you **ONE-FOURTH OFF** of ANY SHOE in the house this week.

Richards & Co.

New Spring Goods AT REDUCED PRICES.

Percales 10c and 7 1-2c.
Tailor Duck suitings 11-12c.
Navy Blue and White Duck 10c.
Black and White 10c.
Zephyrs spring style dingsham 10c

THERE ARE OTHERS!

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SAM FRANKEL'S STUPENOUS CLEARANCE SALE.

DOLLARS HAVE THE VALUE OF TWO
FROM WEDNESDAY, FEB. 24th. UNTIL MARCH 1st.

A sacrifice sale of values. This is no "Fake Sale" But only a Clearance Sale. LOOK AT THE PRICES AND BE CONVINCED.

Masonville,
Fruit of Loom,
Lonsdale's.
10 yds. to each customer 63c.
10 yds. Hope " " 58c.
10 yds. Lonsdale Cambric 98c.
10 yds. Hope Bleach " 58c

Flannels.

15c yd. all wool Grey Flannels
10c yd. good White Flannels
18c yd. good fine all wool Flannels
15c yd. all wool Red Flannels
48c yd. beautiful embroidered White Flannels
88c yd. exquisite embroidered White Flannels

39c a yard all wool & Cassimers, just the goods for boys suits or pants, worth 50c and 75c.

18c yd. all wool plaid check Flannels
12c yd. all wool flannel Linsey

Underwear, Underwear,
For Ladies, Misses and Children,
At Less Than Half Price.

18c Ladies heavy fleeced Vests & Pants worth 25
21c Ladies Ex. fleeced Vests & Pants, with 35
38c Ladies Cream Glove fitting Silk taped and finished, good values at 75c

39c

Ladies Union Suits.
"Oneita" Style, regular 75c goods.
Buy 'em now at 39c.

19c Misses and Boys Union Suits, Cream and natural colors, worth 40c
These are with and without drop back Childie cotton ribbed and fleeced Underwear, sizes for 1, 2 and 3 years.

18c choice of any size girls or boys fleeced shirts and drawers up to 2 for 40c

35c Choice of any size Boys and Girls all wool medicated knit goods
Ladies red medicated wool Shirts and Drawers

63c For Ladies fine all wool ribbed silk finished and taped Vests, worth 75c
Lace Curtains.

A curtain pole & fixtures FREE
With each pair of Lace Curtains at \$1.50 & up.
—SEE THESE CURTAINS—

39c a pair 2 1/2 yds. long, 36 in. wide Curtains	75c	3	45	"	"
\$1.35 " 3 1/2 " " "	81	52	"	"	"
1.69 " 3 1/2 " " "	91	51	"	"	"
1.98 " 4 " " "	4	60	"	"	"
3.98 " 5 " " "	5	Applique	"	"	"

35c — Just For a Flyer. — 35c

—100 PAIR—

Short length Curtains 1 1/2 to 2 yards long, matched pair.

FOR 35c.

Dress Goods.

15c. Gen. "F." Henriettes, 56 in. wide, all colors
25c yard all Wool Serges or Henri's all colors
28c yard 40 in. wide all wool Albatross " "
49c yd. 46 in. wide all wool Storm Serge
25c yd. 40 in. wide figured Brillantines
13c yd. 36 in. wide Flannels, few colors
12c yd. 30 in. wide Tique Flannels, for sacking
59c yd. 46 in. wide Black Silk Finish Henrietta
45c yd. 40 in. wide Woolen Dress Plaids
75c yd. 52 in. wide French Broad Cloth
68c yd. 52 in. wide Cloth. Finish Waterproofs

58c yd. 46 in. wide all Wool Black Cropon
16c yd. 36 in. wide Figured Colored Brillantines

\$1.98

a Pattern Novelty Dress Goods, 8 yard pattern worth \$3.00, as long as they last at

\$1.98.

49c yd. all colors, Silk Velvets, worth 65c
58c yard all colors Silk Velvets, worth \$1 & 1.25
12c yard Black Brocade Satines, worth 25c

Silks, Silks, Silks,

AT ONE HALF THEIR ACTUAL VALUES

18c yd. a few colors China Silk, worth 35c.
25c yd. Beautiful Figured India Silk, worth 50c
75c yd. Beautiful Black Brocade Silk, worth \$1.25
75c yd. Elegant Quality Satin Duchesse
\$1.10 yd. 27 in. wide Ex. heavy Satin Duchesse
75c yd. beautiful changeable Taffeta Silks

38c

A yard Black Figured Taffeta Silks, worth 50c at close price, as long as they last at

38c.

35c yd. Colored Satine and Moir Silks
15c yd. a few pieces Figured Wash Silks
19c yd. a few pieces Swirl Wash Silks

Remnants, Woolen Dress Goods,
Wash Silks, etc. at Half Price.

Wash Goods, New Percales Ducks and Gingham.

10c yd. new Johnson Zephyr Gingham
10c yd. new Novelty Percales
11 1/2c yd. new Novelty Duck Suitings
8c yd. light Pattern Outing Cloth
8c yd. new Small Figures Percales
8c yd. new Spring Dress Gingham

10c yd. new Navy Blue and Black Duck
10c yd. new East Lake Book fold Cheviots

8 1-2c for the Celebrated Wrought Iron Cheviots. Guaranteed to be fast colors.

5c Sheer India Linens and Check Nainsook and Jackonets. Others at 7, 10, 12 & 15c

Hosiery.

Here are some wonderful values in heavy Cotton and Woolen Hose to close.

10c a pair for Ladies Woolen Ribbed Hose
18c " " Cashmere Hose
12c " " Plain & Rib. fleeced Hose
33c " " 50 Gauge Reg. fleec-d Hose
25c " " Ex. Fine Cashmere Hose
Double heel and toe.

25c a Pair

Or 4 pair for 90c. Hermsdorf extra fine Hosiery, tan or black.

Our Regular 33c Hose.

15c a pair, 2 for 25c, Ladies fast black, seamless ribbed top and white foot hose.

18c a pair, 3 pair for 50c, Ladies extra size Black or Ballerina Hose.

10c a pair Boys and Misses ribbed fleeced Hose, 3 pair for 25c.

10c a pair Childrens all wool hose

5c a pair in fast all wool Hos., infants

8c a pair extra heavy school Hose

18c a pair, 3 pair for 50c, Boys and girls extra heavy ribbed double knee hose

Corsets.

Just for this sale a few special Prices.

\$ 2.00 P. D. Corsets, white only, at \$1.50
1.75 P. D. Corsets, white only, at 1.39
1.50 P. D. Corsets, white only, at 1.19
1.25 W. B. Corsets, white and black, at .98
1.00 W. B. Corsets, white or black, " at .88
0.75 W. B. Corsets, white or black, at .69

39c for any of our Regular 50c Corsets in black or white. The best

50c Corset in the city

\$1.25 Feather Bone Corsets at 79c
75c Only a few sizes of "Mad" Warrens dress form. Warrens health "Kosmo" non breakable hip and Thompson's E. H. Corsets, worth \$1 to 1.50

19c Childs Corset Waists sizes 18 to 22, regular price 35c.

25c Just see them, broken lots and sizes of any of our former 60c Corsets

Draperies.

10c yard beautiful new golden Draperies

15c yard beautiful Japanese Draperies

\$1.00

Choice of any of our Feather Bos's, worth \$2.25 to 3.00.

See our 40 gauge fast black hose, only

10c a pair.

Notions And small Items.

Also small prices.

Zephyrs, all colors, 4-oz 8 ounces for 10c
Clark's Kitting cotton, 4c ball, 3 balls for 10c
Saxony Yarns, all colors, 7c ball, 4 for 25c
Imported Germantown, 10c ball, 3 for 25c
100 Wool, only a few colors, 6c a box

3 SPOOLS

Clarks O. N. T.

10c

5c yard colored Silk Veilings
5c yard Silk Gimp braids
3c a yard Pate 1 Hooks and Eyes 2 for 5c
4c doz 8 and 9 inch Washboards
4c doz 3 for 10c, covered steel stays
10c pair good quality Dress Shields
3c Good heavy Carter Washings worth 3c
5c heavy filled washings worth 10c
10c extra heavy Silk Washings, worth 25c
5c box full assorted Hair Pins worth 10c
2c paper best blue steel Hair Pins, worth 5c
5c box Invisible Hair Pins, worth 10c
5c bunch Kid Curries worth 10c
10c bunch Kid Curries, 10c 25c worth 15c

10c Pair set of Collars and Cuffs, frilled edge, in white and colors, worth 50c.
As long as they last for 10c

4c dozen good Pearl Buttons
3c dozen best quality Pearl Buttons
3c bunch white or red Rick Rack braid
8c one lot slightly soiled chemises
3 bunch, one lot mixed Finishing Hair
5c per pair child's good Cotton Hose
3c doz, 2 for 5c, odds and ends Dress Buttons
5c bunch col. Velvet Binding 1 inch wide.
10c bunch, 2 in wide, colored Binding 4 yd. length.

5c bunch Everlasting Trimmings
3c dozen long or small Dress Nursery Pins
Towels and Face Linens. Bargains.
Bargains. 4 off the now closely marked Prices.

A SPECIAL.

10 Dozen large size all linen Napkins, selvage, worth 1.25
At 98c Per Dozen.

Table Linens 1-4 off. Domestics and Staple.

10 4 Heavy Brown Sheetting 12c.
10 4 Heavy Bleached sheeting 15c.
10 4 Extra Bleached sheeting 22c.
4 4 Fine Sea Island 5c
4 4 Hosiery Sea Island 4c
4 4 Great Western Heavy sheeting 6c
4 4 Soft Finish Bleach domestic 4c

CLOTHING.

50 Pairs Mens Odd Cassimere Pants, regular prices \$2, 2 50, 3 00, 3 50. Go in this Sale At \$1 98.

Mens Noglidge and White Shirts New Goods Just Rec'd

Choice for \$5.00

Pick and choice of any Ladies Cape or Jacket in the House, Now is the chance many worth from \$8 to 16 50

Choice for \$5.

JEANS PANTS.

The "Old Reliable" Unsheared Mayfield Jeans Pants, lined worth \$1.25, reduced to 1.15.
The "Old Reliable" all wool Jeans Pants, lined throughout, worth \$1 at 89c.

OVERCOATS, Your Pick and Choice For the next Ten Days at \$9 75.

Mens Underwear at Half Price.
Drill Drawers at 15c a pair. Merino Undershirts at 25c.
All wool shirts or drawers at 39 and 50c.

This is the Only Bona-Fide Sale of the year-Bargains upon bargains.

DON'T FORGET THE PLACE.

SAM FRANKEL'S..

On Double Car Line.
F. & L. P. KLEIDERER, Props.

HERE AND THERE

Ham sacks for sale at this office.

Johnson & Co., will erect a fine flouring mill at White Plains at an early date.

Dr. E. N. Fruit, Dentist, office over City Bank, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Horbat Hayden cut his left foot quite badly while driving stinks in a lot on Jessup avenue, Friday.

Now is the time to sack your hams. Call at this office and get your sacks.

City and county auctioneering by John W. Bayham, Hopkinsville Terms reasonable.

The Tandy place, corner Clay and 18th street, six room cottage, is for rent for 1897. Apply at this office.

L. & N. will sell tickets from Hopkinsville and Trenton to Pensacola for one and one third fare, account Rev. Sam Smith's lecture, Feb. 24.

Account Mardi Gras celebrations at Birmingham, Mobile, and New Orleans the L. & N. will sell round trip tickets to these points at one fare Feb. 26th to March 1st inclusive with final limit fifteen days from date of sale.

J. M. Adams, Agent.

Forbes & Bros' bicycle opening Friday was a great success. The display was the finest ever seen in this city and their business house was crowded with visitors for several hours.

Mr. Harry Smith, a factory expert, was on hand as advertised, and was kept very busy explaining the mechanism of the wheels.

John Wheeler, a lunatic, aged 30 years, from near Adairville, was brought to this city Thursday night and placed in the Asylum. Wheeler is a raving maniac and had to be muzzled before he could be brought in anyway. Several years ago he fell from a wagon, receiving a serious wound in the head, and he has been very violent at intervals ever since.

A "Phantom" party was given by the Misses Edmunds Friday evening in honor of their guest, Miss Sadie Mason. After the music was removed dancing was indulged in until a late hour and proved an enjoyable feature of the occasion. There were about twenty-five couples present.

Mr. T. W. Wittry, of Gracery, is the owner of a genuine Stradivarius violin. The instrument is 163 year old, having been made in 1734. It is well preserved and has a perfect tone. The Stradivarius violin is a very valuable instrument and Mr. Wittry may have struck it rich when he came in possession of it.

PERSONAL OPINION

Mr. R. S. Lander, of Sheller, Ill., was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Judge Jo McCarron is visiting relatives in Henderson.

Mr. M. G. Rust returned Saturday from a visit to Trenton relatives.

Mrs. James M. Green has returned from a visit to relatives in Owensboro.

Miss Mary Penn, of Cerealean, is visiting the family of Mr. W. H. Fox on.

Miss Nettie Cook, of Elmo, visited her sister, Mrs. W. T. Williamson, Sunday.

Mr. H. D. Ferguson and wife have gone to Henderson, where they will reside in future.

Mr. Bluford Twen and family, of California, are visiting friends and relatives in the Pembroke neighborhood at this time.

Messrs. Jas. D. Shaw, R. A. Burnett, Jas. C. Dabney and W. M. Hanberry of Cadiz, were here yesterday, attending court.

Hon. Jas. A. McKenzie has gone to New York and will sail in a few days for his post of duty at Lima, Peru. He was accompanied as far as Louisville by his daughter, Mrs. H. P. Potter and Mrs. Lamar Monarch, of Bowling Green.

Mr. O. D. Thompson has accepted a position with W. T. Bonte as solicitor and as esquire and will take the road at once. Mr. Thompson is a very popular gentleman, a good business man and an excellent selection for the place.

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Absolutely Pure.

Celebrated for its great leavening strength and healthfulness. Assures the cook a standard and all forms of winterization economy to the cheap to make.

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Winton the Wonder.
At the Opera House tonight Winton, the wonderful magician, will make his first appearance in this city.

Mr. Winton's slight of hand is marvellous. His Egyptian cabinet from Egypt itself, London, baffles all observers. Mr. Winton does some of the most wonderful feats ever performed on the American stage.

Tying a man with a rope from head to foot in a second and untying him with the same speed. Mr. Winton offers \$1,000 to any person in the audience if they can untie him in three hours.



Gladness Comes
With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills, which vanish before physical efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge, that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a complicated condition of the system, which the pleasant laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the only remedy which promotes internal cleanliness without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, laxatives or other remedies are then not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commended to the most skillful physician, but if in need of a laxative, one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.

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Mr. Winton will be assisted by Miss Courtney in mind reading, and by Miss Alice Raymond, who is known as America's greatest lady conjurist. She is a great artist and woman of superb appearance and a magnificent dresser, while her technique is described as almost perfect. Among the others in the company are David DeWold and Miss Lulu Walters.

Account Presidential inauguration the L. & N. will sell round trip tickets to Washington, D. C. at one fare March 1st, 2nd, and for morning trains of March 3rd, good returning until, and on March 5th.

J. M. Adams, Agent.

Russell's
WRECKERS OF HIGH PRICES

Free Lecture This Week
Father Edwin Drury, a Catholic Priest, who devotes all his time to explaining the teachings of his church, will deliver free lectures every night this week at Mason's Hall. His subject last night was "Where is Christ or How is His Presence manifested in the Church?" The coming lectures are:

Tuesday, "The Bible in the Catholic Church." Wednesday, "The Infallibility of the Pope." Thursday, "Confession—Can the Priest Pardon Sin?" Friday, "Christ on the Cross." Saturday, The subject will be announced Friday evening.

All non-Catholics are invited to attend and requested to hand in questions in writing concerning the doctrines of the Catholic church. Questions collected each evening will be answered during the succeeding evenings.

A turpentine company in Lincoln county was fined \$50 for failing to repair its road.

The Modern Way
Commends itself to the well informed, to do pleasantly and effectually what was formerly done in the crudest manner and disagreeably as well. To cleanse the system and break up colds, headaches, and fevers without unpleasant effects, take the delightful liquid laxative remedy, Syrup of Figs. Manufactured by California Fig Syrup Company.

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Save Pennies==Save Dimes==Save Dollars.

Note the prices below and compare them with what you have to pay elsewhere.

No startling headlines, no special sales, but plain fair square business underbuy and undersell.

Everything marked in plain figures.

ONE PRICE. SPOT CASH.

6 lead pencils	1c	1 needle book (135 needles)	3c
10 slate pencils	1c	1 quart bucket	4c
12 sheets good note paper	1c	1 lamp burner	4c
25 envelopes	1c	1 wash pan	4c
4 good pen points	1c	1 lamp chimney	4c
1 paper 25 fine blue steel hair pins	1c	1 bottle petroleum jelly	4c
1 paper 280 pins	1c	1,000 matches	5c
1 thimble	1c	1 good rolling pin	5c
1 box blacking	1c	20 doz. cakes laundry soap	5c
2 doz. good hooks and eyes	1c	1 pair sheet side combs	5c
1 doz. Lindseys patent safety pins	1c	1-2 gallon bucket	5c
1 doz. dull head toilet pins	2c	1 wooden water bucket	10c
1 doz. good bone collar buttons	2c	1 coil oil can	10c
1 cake fine castile white soap	2c	1 hatchet	10c
1 quire good note paper	2c	1 extra large galvanized wash pan	10c
1 spool King's thread	2c	1 box (3 cakes) Glycerine soap	10c
1 wire egg whip	2c	1 Windsor shade complete or sp'ng rod	15c
1 pint cup	2c	1 glass lamp (complete)	15c
1 hasp and 2 staples	2c	1 turkey feather duster	15c
1 paper best brass pins	3c	1 cotton mop	15c
1 doz. lamp wicks	3c	1 galvanized oil can	15c
1 box Swan down face powder	3c	Extra heavy ingrain carpet per yard	25c
1 link tablet	3c	Fine oil window shades (complete)	25c
1 doz. kid curlers	3c	Extra large chenille table covers	69c
1 curling iron	3c	1 pair chenille curtains	\$2.75
1 spool N. N. N. thread	3c	10 piece toilet set	1.69
1 box brass shoe nails	3c		

Stoves below cost—Men's Socks, Suspenders and Shirts at Auction prices—Men's Pants at Cut Prices.

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I Can Sell
you and will do it if you will come and see my large stock of FURNITURE AND KINDRED BRANCHES. My expenses are light, as I am up stairs, and I will make it pay you to come and see me. I am prepared to do Undertaking in all its branches. I am also a practical EMBALMER. Refer you to those that have seen my work.

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—House and lot for sale or rent. W. B. Neely, Sargent Building.

Bids for Asylum Groceries.
Bids will be received on 5 tierces of hard, kettle rendered; 5 lbs. of granulated sugar; 10 boxes of pretty soap; 20 cases of tomatoes; 20 cases of corn; 1000 lbs. bacon sides; 5 lbs. of N. O. Molasses; 10 bags of coffee; 10 boxes of Greenwish lye, to be furnished to Western Kentucky Asylum for the Insane, Hopkinsville, Ky. Prices to be on goods laid down at Hopkinsville. All goods to be first class in quality. Goods will be selected from the lowest and best bids on each article. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids. Bids must be handed in at First National Bank by 10 o'clock a. m. Feb. 25.

A. H. ANDERSON.
Steward.

South Kentucky Poultry Yards.
Certified Indian Game and Light Brahma Chickens for sale; also hens and pullets. Improve your chickens. I will pay you
COME AND SEE MY STOCK OR WRITE ME
CARL C. MOORE,
Hopkinsville, Ky.

The firm of H. M. Bryan & Co. has this day been dissolved. Mr. S. Bryan retiring from the business and Mr. O. W. Taylor having purchased the business and all its assets. The firm of H. M. Bryan & Co. is now known as O. W. Taylor & Co. and will continue to do business at the old stand as before and under same name for a time.

H. M. BRYAN & CO. O. W. TAYLOR.